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Application #10/729,323

Continuation In Part of Serial No.: 09/621,875

For: PREFERENTIAL INTELLECUTAL PROPERTY ROUTING

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Your Honor:

In response to the Examiners Office Action of 9/17/08:

The Examiner has declared the present application as abandoned for failing to reply to the Office letter of 3/10/08. The present Office Action of 9/17/08 states that a reply was received on 3/19/08 but that reply was not proper. The Examiner further stated, "While the fee required by the March 10 2008 action was paid, the corresponding paper reply cannot be found by the Examiner. A formal reply is needed in response to all actions from the Office".

The applicant respectfully submits a photocopy of the transmittal letter the applicant sent with a check for \$415 on 3/14/08. This transmittal is in fact the formal reply to the action of 3/10/2008, and as such is sufficient.

The fact that the \$415 was credited to the applicant is sufficient evidence that the transmittal letter in question did arrive at the United States Patent Office, or the Office would not have known to credit the applicant in the amount of \$415. In itself the check did not contain enough information to be associated with the present application, and further had the name "Lincoln Hoke" on it, rather than the applicants full legal name "Clare L. Hoke Jr." which is the only moniker used by the applicant in proceedings with the United States Patent Office. The applicant does not have any checks with his full legal name printed on it.

For these reasons the applicant Petitions to withdrawal withholding of abandonment for the present application #10/729,323.

Favorable response in placing the present application as not abandoned is respectfully solicited.

Sincerely

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